

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE PUBLIC PEACE, HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE;
MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SPECIAL CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION
IN THE THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--

~~A. One hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the secretary of state for expenditure in fiscal year 1997 to pay expenses incurred by the secretary of state in conducting a special congressional election in the third congressional district. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 1997 shall revert to the general fund.~~

B. Five hundred forty-seven thousand dollars (\$547,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the secretary of state for expenditure in fiscal year 1997 to distribute the appropriate amounts to the county clerks of the counties in the third congressional district to pay expenses incurred by the counties in conducting a special congressional election in the third congressional district. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 1997 shall revert to the general fund.

Section 2. EMERGENCY.--It is necessary for the public peace, health and safety that this act take effect immediately. HVEC/HB

